UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION II

Yabucoa Development, S.E.

Respondent

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:

REPORT OF STATUS CONFERENCE AND ORDER

The status teleconference in this matter was held on September 16, 2014. Participating were:

Presiding Officer:

Helen S. Ferrara

Respondent's Attorneys:

Wilfredo Soto-Suarez

Complainant's Attorney:

Evelyn Rivera-Ocasio

Introduction: The Presiding Officer established that the purpose of the teleconference was to assess the status of this matter.

Status: Complainant's attorney explained that Respondent had signed the Consent Agreement and Final Order on August 25, 2014, and same was received by EPA on August 26, 2014. The CA/FO is currently circulating in EPA for signature. Both parties expect the CA/FO to be finalized and filed in the near future.

Although the filing of the CA/FO settling this matter appears to be imminent, the Undersigned thought that it was in the best interest of both parties to schedule a follow up status teleconference in case any issues arose regarding final execution of the CA/FO.

IT IS ORDERED:

The Presiding Officer is continuing this status teleconference until Tuesday, October 14, 2014, beginning at 10:00AM, or as soon thereafter as the Presiding Officer can make the necessary arrangements.

If the CA/FO is filed before that date, the Undersigned, upon receiving an executed copy, will cancel the follow up teleconference.

Date: September 23, 2014

Helen Ferrara
Presiding Officer

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the **Report of Status Conference and Order** by Regional Judicial Officer Helen Ferrara in the matter of **Yabucoa Development**, **S.E.**, **Docket No. CWA-02-2013-3357**, was served on the parties as indicated below:

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Dated: September 24, 2014